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Report of the Fifth Committee (Part II)

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I. Introduction

1. The previous recommendation made by the Fifth Committee to the General Assembly under agenda item 114 appears in the report of the Committee contained in document A/53/743.

2. The Fifth Committee resumed its consideration of the item at its 52nd meeting, on 22 March 1999. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary record (A/C.5/53/SR.52).

3. For its further consideration of the item, the Committee had before it a note by the Secretariat on the programme performance of the United Nations for the biennium 1996–1997 (A/C.5/53/CRP.1/Rev.1).

II. Consideration of a draft decision proposed by the Chairman

4. At the 52nd meeting, on 22 March, the Chairman of the Committee orally proposed a draft decision, by which the General Assembly would transmit the note by the Secretariat contained in document A/C.5/53/CRP.1/Rev.1 to the Committee for Programme and Coordination for consideration at its thirty-ninth session.

5. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote (see para. 6).

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III. Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

6. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

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The General Assembly, decides to transmit the note by the Secretariat on the programme performance of the United Nations for the biennium 1996–1997[1] to the Committee for Programme and Coordination for consideration at its thirty-ninth session.

[1] A/C.5/53/CRP.1/Rev.1.